

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services** 

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Medicaid Program; State Allotments for Payment of Medicare Part B Premiums for

Qualifying Individuals (QIs): Federal Fiscal Years 2012 and 2013

**AGENCY:** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the States' final allotments available to pay the Medicare Part B premiums for Qualifying Individuals (QIs) for the Federal fiscal year (FY) 2012 and the preliminary QI allotments for FY 2013. The amounts of these QI allotments were determined in accordance with the methodology set forth in regulations and reflect funding for the QI program made available under recent legislation.

**DATES:** The final QI allotments for payment of Medicare Part B premiums for FY 2012 are effective October 1, 2011. The preliminary QI allotments for FY 2013 are effective October 1, 2012.

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## **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

## I. Background

## A. QI Allotments for FY 2012

Section 110 of the Medicare and Medicaid Extenders Act of 2010 (Pub. L. 111-309, enacted on December 15, 2010) (MMEA) extended the authority and funding for the QI program

for the first quarter of FY 2012 (that is, through December 31, 2011) by providing \$280 million available for the first quarter of FY 2012. Section 310 of the Temporary Payroll Tax Cut Continuation Act of 2011 (Pub. L. 112-78, enacted on December 23, 2011) (TPTCA) provided temporary continued authority and an additional \$150 million in funding for the QI program for the period January 1, 2012 through February 29, 2012. With the enactment of TPTCA, the QI program was authorized and funded at a total amount nationally of \$430 million (\$280 million plus \$150 million) for FY 2012 through February 29, 2012. Section 3101 of the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012 (Pub. L. 112-96, enacted on February 22, 2012) (MCTRJCA) extended the authority and funding for the QI program for FY 2012; in particular, authority for the QI program was extended for all of FY 2012 and funding for the program for the period January 1, 2012 through September 30, 2012 was increased to \$450 million.

Therefore, the total funding available for the QI program for FY 2012 is \$730 million (\$280 million) plus \$450 million).

# B. QI Allotments for FY 2013 and Thereafter

Section 3101 of the MCTRJCA extended the authority and funding for the QI program by providing \$280 million, available for the period October 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012, the first quarter of FY 2013. Most recently, section 621 of the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012 (Pub. L. 112-240, enacted on January 2, 2013) (ATRA), extended the authority for the QI program for all of FY 2013 and provided \$485 million in additional funding for the program for the period January 1, 2013 through September 30, 2013. Therefore the total funding available for the QI program for FY 2013 is \$765 million (\$280 million plus \$485 million).

Finally, section 621 of ATRA further extended the authority and funding for the QI program by providing \$300 million, available for the period October 1, 2013 through

December 31, 2013, the first quarter of FY 2014.

# C. Methodology for Calculating the Fiscal Year QI Allotments.

The amounts of the states' final FY 2012 and preliminary FY 2013 QI allotments, contained in this notice, were determined in accordance with the methodology set forth in existing regulations at 42 CFR 433.10(c)(5) and reflect funding for the QI program made available under the legislation discussed above.

## II. Charts

The final QI allotments for FY 2012 and the preliminary QI allotments for FY 2013 are shown by state in Chart 1 and Chart 2 below, respectively:

**Chart 1** - Final Qualifying Individuals Allotments for October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012.

**Chart 2** – Preliminary Qualifying Individuals Allotments for October 1, 2012 through September 30, 2013.

**TABLE 1: Final Qualifying Individuals Allotments for October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012** 

	Initial QI Allotm	ents for FY 2012		FY 2012	Need	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Pool	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Adj. For	Increase Adj. For	Final
STATE	Number of	Percentage	Initial QI Allotment	Estimated QI	(Difference)	Need States	for Non-Need	Non-Need	Non-Need States	Need States	FY 2012
	Individuals /3	of Total	Col C x	Expenditures /1			States	States	Col. I x	Col. G x	QI Allotment /2
	(000s)	Col B/Tot. Col B	\$730,000,000		If E>D, E-D	F/(Tot. of F)	If D >= E, D - E	H/(Tot. of H)	\$82,487,822	\$82,487,822	
Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	1	J	К	L
Alabama	43	3.22%	\$23,513,109	\$21,324,574	NA	NA	\$2,188,535	1.2003%	\$990,139	NA	\$22,522,970
Alaska	2	0.15%	\$1,093,633	\$283,429	NA	NA	\$810,204	0.4444%	\$366,553	NA	\$727,080
Arizona	14	1.05%	\$7,655,431	\$16,592,682	\$8,937,252	10.8346%	Need	Need	Need	\$8,937,252	\$16,592,682
Arkansas	21	1.57%	\$11,483,146	\$12,996,962	\$1,513,816	1.8352%	Need	Need	Need	\$1,513,816	\$12,996,962
California	89	6.67%	\$48,666,667	\$27,247,615	NA	NA	\$21,419,052	11.7477%	\$9,690,422	NA	\$38,976,244
Colorado	16	1.20%	\$8,749,064	\$5,418,415	NA	NA	\$3,330,649	1.8268%	\$1,506,854	NA	\$7,242,209
Connecticut	15	1.12%	\$8,202,247	\$2,292,128	NA	NA	\$5,910,119	3.2415%	\$2,673,860	NA	\$5,528,387
Delaware	4	0.30%	\$2,187,266	\$3,030,541	\$843,275	1.0223%	Need	Need	Need	\$843,275	\$3,030,541
District of Columbia	2	0.15%	\$1,093,633	\$0	NA	NA	\$1,093,633	0.5998%	\$494,782	NA	\$598,851
Florida	83	6.22%	\$45,385,768	\$66,783,222	\$21,397,454	25.9401%	Need	Need	Need	\$21,397,454	\$66,783,222
Georgia	35	2.62%	\$19,138,577	\$35,076,093	\$15,937,516	19.3211%	Need	Need	Need	\$15,937,516	\$35,076,093
Hawaii	5	0.37%	\$2,734,082	\$1,308,325	NA	NA	\$1,425,758	0.7820%	\$645,042	NA	\$2,089,040
Idaho	6	0.45%	\$3,280,899	\$2,501,976	NA	NA	\$778,923	0.4272%	\$352,401	NA	\$2,928,498
Illinois	64	4.79%	\$34,996,255	\$23,748,898	NA	NA	\$11,247,356	6.1688%	\$5,088,537	NA	\$29,907,718
Indiana	39	2.92%	\$21,325,843	\$6,522,130	NA	NA	\$14,803,712	8.1194%	\$6,697,506	NA	\$14,628,336
lowa	16	1.20%	\$8,749,064	\$4,338,994	NA	NA	\$4,410,070	2.4188%	\$1,995,207	NA	\$6,753,857
Kansas	19	1.42%	\$10,389,513	\$4,613,481	NA	NA	\$5,776,032	3.1680%	\$2,613,196	NA	\$7,776,317
Kentucky	32	2.40%	\$17,498,127	\$15,249,091	NA	NA	\$2,249,037	1.2335%	\$1,017,511	NA	\$16,480,617
Louisiana	28	2.10%	\$15,310,861	\$19,883,851	\$4,572,989	5.5438%	Need	Need	Need	\$4,572,989	\$19,883,851
Maine	6	0.45%	\$3,280,899	\$5,308,878	\$2,027,979	2.4585%	Need	Need	Need	\$2,027,979	\$5,308,878
Maryland	19	1.42%	\$10,389,513	\$7,562,402	NA	NA	\$2,827,111	1.5506%	\$1,279,044	NA	\$9,110,470
Massachusetts	34	2.55%	\$18,591,760	\$10,276,939	NA	NA	\$8,314,821	4.5604%	\$3,761,797	NA	\$14,829,963
Michigan	39	2.92%	\$21,325,843	\$16,321,547	NA	NA	\$5,004,296	2.7447%	\$2,264,047	NA	\$19,061,796
Minnesota	21	1.57%	\$11,483,146	\$5,943,209	NA	NA	\$5,539,937	3.0385%	\$2,506,382	NA	\$8,976,764
Mississippi	19	1.42%	\$10,389,513	\$14,400,900	\$4,011,386	4.8630%	Need	Need	Need	\$4,011,386	\$14,400,900
Missouri	35	2.62%	\$19,138,577	\$4,570,341	NA	NA	\$14,568,235	7.9902%	\$6,590,971	NA	\$12,547,606
Montana	7	0.52%	\$3,827,715	\$1,425,081	NA	NA	\$2,402,634	1.3178%	\$1,087,001	NA	\$2,740,714

STATE	Initial QI Allotn Number of Individuals /3	Percentage of Total	Initial QI Allotment	FY 2012 Estimated QI Expenditures /1	Need (Difference)	Pct of Tot. Need States	Reduction Pool for Non-Need States	Pct of Tot. Non-Need States	Reduction Adj. For Non-Need States Col. I x	Increase Adj. For Need States Col. G x	Final FY 2012 QI Allotment /2
	(000s)	Col B/Tot. Col B	\$730,000,000		If E>D, E-D	F/(Tot. of F)	If D >= E, D - E	H/(Tot. of H)	\$82,487,822	\$82,487,822	
Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	1	J	К	L
Nebraska	7	0.52%	\$3,827,715	\$2,313,332	NA	NA	\$1,514,383	0.8306%	\$685,138	NA	\$3,142,577
Nevada	9	0.67%	\$4,921,348	\$4,662,209	NA	NA	\$259,140	0.1421%	\$117,240	NA	\$4,804,108
New Hampshire	5	0.37%	\$2,734,082	\$2,212,296	NA	NA	\$521,787	0.2862%	\$236,067	NA	\$2,498,015
New Jersey	29	2.17%	\$15,857,678	\$9,166,126	NA	NA	\$6,691,552	3.6701%	\$3,027,397	NA	\$12,830,281
New Mexico	10	0.75%	\$5,468,165	\$4,058,656	NA	NA	\$1,409,509	0.7731%	\$637,691	NA	\$4,830,474
New York	78	5.84%	\$42,651,685	\$44,692,419	\$2,040,734	2.4740%	Need	Need	Need	\$2,040,734	\$44,692,419
North Carolina	47	3.52%	\$25,700,375	\$28,365,556	\$2,665,181	3.2310%	Need	Need	Need	\$2,665,181	\$28,365,556
North Dakota	3	0.22%	\$1,640,449	\$629,590	NA	NA	\$1,010,859	0.5544%	\$457,334	NA	\$1,183,116
Ohio	58	4.34%	\$31,715,356	\$24,831,767	NA	NA	\$6,883,589	3.7754%	\$3,114,278	NA	\$28,601,078
Oklahoma	17	1.27%	\$9,295,880	\$10,241,906	\$946,026	1.1469%	Need	Need	Need	\$946,026	\$10,241,906
Oregon	17	1.27%	\$9,295,880	\$13,072,852	\$3,776,972	4.5788%	Need	Need	Need	\$3,776,972	\$13,072,852
Pennsylvania	66	4.94%	\$36,089,888	\$32,079,327	NA	NA	\$4,010,560	2.1997%	\$1,814,460	NA	\$34,275,427
Rhode Island	5	0.37%	\$2,734,082	\$2,388,025	NA	NA	\$346,058	0.1898%	\$156,564	NA	\$2,577,519
South Carolina	26	1.95%	\$14,217,228	\$13,359,233	NA	NA	\$857,995	0.4706%	\$388,175	NA	\$13,829,054
South Dakota	4	0.30%	\$2,187,266	\$1,915,993	NA	NA	\$271,273	0.1488%	\$122,729	NA	\$2,064,536
Tennessee	32	2.40%	\$17,498,127	\$29,077,199	\$11,579,072	14.0373%	Need	Need	Need	\$11,579,072	\$29,077,199
Texas	105	7.87%	\$57,415,730	\$34,868,400	NA	NA	\$22,547,330	12.3665%	\$10,200,879	NA	\$47,214,851
Utah	5	0.37%	\$2,734,082	\$2,429,445	NA	NA	\$304,638	0.1671%	\$137,824	NA	\$2,596,258
Vermont	2	0.15%	\$1,093,633	\$3,331,803	\$2,238,170	2.7133%	Need	Need	Need	\$2,238,170	\$3,331,803
Virginia	25	1.87%	\$13,670,412	\$13,050,355	NA	NA	\$620,057	0.3401%	\$280,526	NA	\$13,389,886
Washington	26	1.95%	\$14,217,228	\$6,502,266	NA	NA	\$7,714,963	4.2314%	\$3,490,409	NA	\$10,726,820
West Virginia	16	1.20%	\$8,749,064	\$6,165,223	NA	NA	\$2,583,841	1.4172%	\$1,168,983	NA	\$7,580,080
Wisconsin	27	2.02%	\$14,764,045	\$4,954,841	NA	NA	\$9,809,204	5.3801%	\$4,437,887	NA	\$10,326,158
Wyoming	3	0.22%	\$1,640,449	\$771,814	NA	NA	\$868,636	0.4764%	\$392,989	NA	\$1,247,461
Total	1,335	100.00%	\$730,000,000	\$630,162,333	\$82,487,822	100.0000%	\$182,325,489	100.0000%	\$82,487,822	\$82,487,822	\$730,000,000

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#### Footnotes:

<sup>/1</sup> FY 2012 Estimates from July 2012 CMS Survey of States; Estimates Are For Months October 2011 Through September 2012

<sup>/2</sup> For Need States, Final FY 2012 QI Allotment is equal to Initial QI Allotment in Column D increased by amount in Column K

For Non-Need States, Final FY 2012 QI Allotment is equal to Initial QI Allotment in Column D reduced by amount in Column J

	Initial QI Allotn	nents for FY 2012		FY 2012	Need	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Pool	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Adj. For	Increase Adj. For	Final
STATE	Number of	Percentage	Initial QI Allotment	Estimated QI	(Difference)	Need States	for Non-Need	Non-Need	Non-Need States	Need States	FY 2012
	Individuals /3	of Total	Col C x	Expenditures /1			States	States	Col. I x	Col. G x	QI Allotment /2
	(000s)	Col B/Tot. Col B	\$730,000,000		If E>D, E-D	F/(Tot. of F)	If D >= E, D - E	H/(Tot. of H)	\$82,487,822	\$82,487,822	
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<sup>/3</sup> Three-year average (2008-2010) of number (000) of Medicare beneficiaries in State who are not enrolled in Medicaid but whose incomes are at least 120% but less than 135% of federal poverty level Source: Census Bureau Annual Social and Economic Supplement (ASEC) to the 2011 Current Population Survey (CPS)

 TABLE 2 - Preliminary Qualifying Individuals Allotments for October 1, 2012 through September 30, 2013

	Initial QI Allotm	nents for FY 2013		FY 2013	Need	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Pool	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Adj. For	Increase Adj. For	Preliminary
STATE	Number of	Percentage	Initial QI Allotment	Estimated QI	(Difference)	Need States	for Non-Need	Non-Need	Non-Need States	Need States	FY 2013
	Individuals /3	of Total	Col C x	Expenditures /1			States	States	Col. I x	Col. G x	QI Allotment /2
	(000s)	Col B/Tot. Col B	\$765,000,000		If E>D, E-D	F/(Tot. of F)	If D >= E, D - E	H/(Tot. of H)	\$103,554,487	\$103,554,487	
Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	1	J	K	L
Alabama	38	2.64%	\$20,159,501	\$24,188,697	\$4,029,197	3.8909%	Need	Need	Need	\$4,029,197	\$24,188,697
Alaska	2	0.14%	\$1,061,026	\$378,052	NA	NA	\$682,974	0.4239%	\$438,933	NA	\$622,093
Arizona	21	1.46%	\$11,140,777	\$20,302,279	\$9,161,503	8.8470%	Need	Need	Need	\$9,161,503	\$20,302,279
Arkansas	27	1.87%	\$14,323,856	\$14,968,578	\$644,722	0.6226%	Need	Need	Need	\$644,722	\$14,968,578
California	107	7.42%	\$56,764,910	\$30,667,238	NA	NA	\$26,097,672	16.1967%	\$16,772,428	NA	\$39,992,482
Colorado	16	1.11%	\$8,488,211	\$6,261,250	NA	NA	\$2,226,960	1.3821%	\$1,431,221	NA	\$7,056,990
Connecticut	15	1.04%	\$7,957,698	\$4,295,522	NA	NA	\$3,662,176	2.2728%	\$2,353,604	NA	\$5,604,094
Delaware	4	0.28%	\$2,122,053	\$3,516,899	\$1,394,847	1.3470%	Need	Need	Need	\$1,394,847	\$3,516,899
District of Columbia	2	0.14%	\$1,061,026	\$0	NA	NA	\$1,061,026	0.6585%	\$681,899	NA	\$379,127
Florida	96	6.66%	\$50,929,265	\$75,922,288	\$24,993,023	24.1351%	Need	Need	Need	\$24,993,023	\$75,922,288
Georgia	45	3.12%	\$23,873,093	\$37,187,452	\$13,314,359	12.8573%	Need	Need	Need	\$13,314,359	\$37,187,452
Hawaii	6	0.42%	\$3,183,079	\$1,502,678	NA	NA	\$1,680,401	1.0429%	\$1,079,959	NA	\$2,103,120
Idaho	7	0.49%	\$3,713,592	\$2,746,709	NA	NA	\$966,883	0.6001%	\$621,396	NA	\$3,092,197
Illinois	68	4.72%	\$36,074,896	\$28,872,870	NA	NA	\$7,202,026	4.4697%	\$4,628,592	NA	\$31,446,304
Indiana	43	2.98%	\$22,812,067	\$6,951,308	NA	NA	\$15,860,759	9.8435%	\$10,193,378	NA	\$12,618,688
lowa	16	1.11%	\$8,488,211	\$4,940,141	NA	NA	\$3,548,070	2.2020%	\$2,280,271	NA	\$6,207,940
Kansas	18	1.25%	\$9,549,237	\$5,443,274	NA	NA	\$4,105,963	2.5482%	\$2,638,817	NA	\$6,910,420
Kentucky	34	2.36%	\$18,037,448	\$18,127,195	\$89,747	0.0867%	Need	Need	Need	\$89,747	\$18,127,195
Louisiana	29	2.01%	\$15,384,882	\$22,144,578	\$6,759,696	6.5277%	Need	Need	Need	\$6,759,696	\$22,144,578
Maine	7	0.49%	\$3,713,592	\$7,045,460	\$3,331,867	3.2175%	Need	Need	Need	\$3,331,867	\$7,045,460
Maryland	24	1.66%	\$12,732,316	\$8,602,875	NA	NA	\$4,129,441	2.5628%	\$2,653,906	NA	\$10,078,411
Massachusetts	28	1.94%	\$14,854,369	\$10,893,600	NA	NA	\$3,960,769	2.4581%	\$2,545,503	NA	\$12,308,866
Michigan	38	2.64%	\$20,159,501	\$20,967,835	\$808,334	0.7806%	Need	Need	Need	\$808,334	\$20,967,835
Minnesota	22	1.53%	\$11,671,290	\$6,559,682	NA	NA	\$5,111,608	3.1724%	\$3,285,124	NA	\$8,386,166
Mississippi	18	1.25%	\$9,549,237	\$16,529,838	\$6,980,601	6.7410%	Need	Need	Need	\$6,980,601	\$16,529,838
Missouri	39	2.70%	\$20,690,014	\$4,700,909	NA	NA	\$15,989,105	9.9231%	\$10,275,864	NA	\$10,414,150
Montana	6	0.42%	\$3,183,079	\$1,512,121	NA	NA	\$1,670,958	1.0370%	\$1,073,890	NA	\$2,109,189

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Nebraska	6	0.42%	\$3,183,079	\$2,506,770	NA	NA	\$676,309	0.4197%	\$434,650	NA	\$2,748,429
Nevada	10	0.69%	\$5,305,132	\$5,177,080	NA	NA	\$128,052	0.0795%	\$82,296	NA	\$5,222,836
New Hampshire	6	0.42%	\$3,183,079	\$2,861,766	NA	NA	\$321,313	0.1994%	\$206,501	NA	\$2,976,578
New Jersey	40	2.77%	\$21,220,527	\$9,901,642	NA	NA	\$11,318,885	7.0247%	\$7,274,411	NA	\$13,946,116
New Mexico	9	0.62%	\$4,774,619	\$4,787,611	\$12,993	0.0125%	Need	Need	Need	\$12,993	\$4,787,611
New York	85	5.89%	\$45,093,620	\$50,481,630	\$5,388,010	5.2031%	Need	Need	Need	\$5,388,010	\$50,481,630
North Carolina	38	2.64%	\$20,159,501	\$28,897,791	\$8,738,290	8.4383%	Need	Need	Need	\$8,738,290	\$28,897,791
North Dakota	3	0.21%	\$1,591,540	\$692,912	NA	NA	\$898,628	0.5577%	\$577,529	NA	\$1,014,010
Ohio	54	3.74%	\$28,647,712	\$28,435,844	NA	NA	\$211,867	0.1315%	\$136,163	NA	\$28,511,549
Oklahoma	27	1.87%	\$14,323,856	\$11,348,409	NA	NA	\$2,975,446	1.8466%	\$1,912,257	NA	\$12,411,598
Oregon	17	1.18%	\$9,018,724	\$16,832,070	\$7,813,346	7.5452%	Need	Need	Need	\$7,813,346	\$16,832,070
Pennsylvania	78	5.41%	\$41,380,028	\$34,628,979	NA	NA	\$6,751,049	4.1898%	\$4,338,758	NA	\$37,041,270
Rhode Island	6	0.42%	\$3,183,079	\$2,625,070	NA	NA	\$558,009	0.3463%	\$358,621	NA	\$2,824,458
South Carolina	33	2.29%	\$17,506,935	\$13,456,800	NA	NA	\$4,050,135	2.5136%	\$2,602,937	NA	\$14,903,998
South Dakota	4	0.28%	\$2,122,053	\$2,344,945	\$222,892	0.2152%	Need	Need	Need	\$222,892	\$2,344,945
Tennessee	48	3.33%	\$25,464,632	\$30,163,578	\$4,698,945	4.5377%	Need	Need	Need	\$4,698,945	\$30,163,578
Texas	106	7.35%	\$56,234,397	\$35,884,800	NA	NA	\$20,349,597	12.6294%	\$13,078,261	NA	\$43,156,136
Utah	6	0.42%	\$3,183,079	\$2,680,802	NA	NA	\$502,277	0.3117%	\$322,803	NA	\$2,860,276
Vermont	2	0.14%	\$1,061,026	\$4,047,877	\$2,986,851	2.8843%	Need	Need	Need	\$2,986,851	\$4,047,877
Virginia	23	1.60%	\$12,201,803	\$14,387,068	\$2,185,265	2.1103%	Need	Need	Need	\$2,185,265	\$14,387,068
Washington	23	1.60%	\$12,201,803	\$7,274,362	NA	NA	\$4,927,441	3.0581%	\$3,166,764	NA	\$9,035,039
West Virginia	17	1.18%	\$9,018,724	\$6,550,585	NA	NA	\$2,468,139	1.5318%	\$1,586,221	NA	\$7,432,503
Wisconsin	22	1.53%	\$11,671,290	\$5,416,651	NA	NA	\$6,254,639	3.8817%	\$4,019,726	NA	\$7,651,564
Wyoming	3	0.21%	\$1,591,540	\$810,736	NA	NA	\$780,803	0.4846%	\$501,806	NA	\$1,089,734
Total	1,442	100.00%	\$765,000,000	\$707,425,105	\$103,554,487	100.0000%	\$161,129,382	100.0000%	\$103,554,487	\$103,554,487	\$765,000,000

### Footnotes:

<sup>/1</sup> FY 2013 Estimates from July 2012 CMS Survey of States; Estimates Are For Months October 2012 Through September 2013

<sup>/2</sup> For Need States, Preliminary FY 2013 QI Allotment is equal to Initial QI Allotment in Column D increased by amount in Column K

For Non-Need States, Preliminary FY 2013 QI Allotment is equal to Initial QI Allotment in Column D reduced by amount in Column J

	Initial QI Allotn	nents for FY 2013		FY 2013	Need	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Pool	Pct of Tot.	Reduction Adj. For	Increase Adj. For	Preliminary
STATE	Number of	Percentage	Initial QI Allotment	Estimated QI	(Difference)	Need States	for Non-Need	Non-Need	Non-Need States	Need States	FY 2013
	Individuals /3	of Total	Col C x	Expenditures /1			States	States	Col. l x	Col. G x	QI Allotment /2
	(000s)	Col B/Tot. Col B	\$765,000,000		If E>D, E-D	F/(Tot. of F)	If D >= E, D - E	H/(Tot. of H)	\$103,554,487	\$103,554,487	
Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	I	J	К	L

<sup>/3</sup> Three-year average (2009-2011) of number (000) of Medicare beneficiaries in State who are not enrolled in Medicaid but whose incomes are at least 120% but less than 135% of federal poverty level Source: Census Bureau Annual Social and Economic Supplement (ASEC) to the 2012 Current Population Survey (CPS)

The following describes the information contained in the columns of Chart 1 and Chart 2:

Column A -- <u>State</u>. Column A shows the name of each state. Columns B through D show the determination of an Initial QI Allotment for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2) for each state, based only on the indicated Census Bureau data.

Column B -- Number of Individuals. Column B contains the estimated average number of Medicare beneficiaries for each state that are not covered by Medicaid whose family income is at least 120 but less than 135 percent of the federal poverty level. With respect to the <a href="final FY 2012 QI allotment (Chart 1)">final FY 2012 QI allotment (Chart 1)</a>, Column B contains the number of such individuals for the years 2008 through 2010, as obtained from the Census Bureau's Annual Social and Economic Supplement to the 2011 Current Population Survey. With respect to the <a href="preliminary FY 2013 QI allotment">preliminary FY 2013 QI allotment</a> (Chart 2), Column B contains the number of such individuals for the years 2009 through 2012, as obtained from the Census Bureau's Annual Social and Economic Supplement to the Current Population Survey.

Column C -- <u>Percentage of Total</u>. Column C provides the percentage of the total number of individuals for each state, that is, the Number of Individuals for the state in Column B divided by the sum total of the Number of Individuals for all States in Column B.

Column D -- <u>Initial QI Allotment</u>. Column D contains each state's Initial QI Allotment for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2), calculated as the state's Percentage of Total in Column C multiplied by the total amount available nationally for QI allotments for the fiscal year. The total amount available nationally for QI

allotments each fiscal year is \$730,000,000 for FY 2012 (Chart 1) and \$765,000,000 for FY 2013 (Chart 2).

Columns E through L show the determination of the States' Final QI Allotments for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or Preliminary QI Allotments for FY 2013 (Chart 2).

Column E --FY 2012 or FY 2013 Estimated QI Expenditures. Column E contains the states' estimates of their total QI expenditures for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2) based on information obtained from states in the summer of 2012 and as updated.

Column F -- Need (Difference). Column F contains the additional amount of QI allotment needed for those states whose estimated expenditures in Column E exceeded their Initial QI allotments in Column D for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or for FY 2013 (Chart 2) for such states, Column F shows the amount in Column E minus the amount in Column D. For other "Non-Need" States, Column F shows "NA".

Column G -- Percent of Total Need States. For states whose projected QI expenditures in Column E are greater than their initial QI allotment in Column D for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2), respectively, Column G shows the percentage of total need, determined as the amount for each Need State in Column F divided by the sum of the amounts for all states in Column F. For Non-Need States, the entry in Column G is "NA".

Column H — <u>Reduction Pool for Non-Need States</u>. Column H shows the amount of the pool of surplus QI allotments for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2), respectively, for those states that project QI expenditures for the fiscal year that are less than the Initial QI allotment for the fiscal year (referred to as non-need

States). For states for which the estimates in Column E of QI expenditures for FY 2012 or FY 2013, respectively, are equal to or less than their Initial QI allotments in Column D for FY 2012 or FY 2013, respectively, Column H shows the amount in Column D minus the amount in Column E. For the states with a need, Column H shows "Need". The reduction pool of excess QI allotments is equal to the sum of the amounts in Column H.

Column I -- Percent of Total Non-Need States. For states whose projected QI expenditures in Column E are less than their Initial QI allotment in Column D for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2), Column I shows the percentage of the total reduction pool in Column H, determined as the amount for each Non-Need State in Column H divided by the sum of the amounts for all States in Column H. For Need States, the entry in Column I is "Need".

Column J -- Reduction Adjustment for Non-Need States. Column J shows the amount of adjustment needed to reduce the Initial QI allotments in Column D for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2) for Non-Need States in order to address the total need shown in Column F. The amount in Column J is determined as the percentage in column I for Non-Need States multiplied by the lesser of the total need in Column F (equal to the sum of Needs in Column F) or the total Reduction Pool in Column H (equal to the sum of the Non-Need amounts in Column H). For Need States, the entry in Column J is "Need".

Column K -- <u>Increase Adjustment for Need States</u>. Column K shows the amount of adjustment to increase the Initial QI Allotment in Column D for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2) for Need States in order to address the total need shown

for the fiscal year in Column F. The amount in Column K is determined as the percentage in Column G for Need States multiplied by the lesser of the total need in Column F (equal to the sum of Needs in Column F) or the total Reduction Pool in Column H (equal to the sum of the Non-Need amounts in Column H). For Non-Need States, the entry in Column K is "NA".

OI Allotment (Chart 2). Column L contains the Final QI Allotment for each state for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or the Preliminary QI Allotment for FY 2013 (Chart 2). For states that need additional QI allotment amounts for the fiscal year based on Estimated QI Expenditures in Column E as compared to their Initial QI allotments in Column D for the fiscal year (states with a projected need amount are shown in Column F), Column L is equal to the Initial QI allotment in Column D for FY 2012 (Chart 1) or FY 2013 (Chart 2) plus the amount determined in Column K for Need States. For Non-Need States (states with a projected surplus in Column H), Column L is equal to the QI Allotment in Column D reduced by the Reduction Adjustment amount in Column J.

# III. Collection of Information Requirements

This notice does not impose any information collection or recordkeeping requirements. Consequently, it does not need Office of Management and Budget review under the authority of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.).

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